IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR VETERANS CLAIMS

| JOE E. MORGAN, |) |
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| Appellant, |) |
| V. |) Vet. App. No. 15-1306 |
| ROBERT A. MCDONALD, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, |)) |
| Appellee. |) |

APPELLEE'S RESPONSE TO THE COURT'S ORDER DATED AUGUST 3, 2016

Appellee, Robert A. McDonald, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, submits this response to the Court's August 3, 2016, Order, which directed the Secretary, within 2 days of this order, provide the Court with the JMPR entered into by the parties on July 14, 2014, under Docket Number 13-1341, or provide an explanation as to why this document is not available.

In response, the Secretary notes that contrary to the notation contained in the Order issued by the Court, the JMPR entered into by the parties on July 14, 2014 was included in the Record of Proceedings at pages 433 through 439, which was filed with the Court on June 22, 2016. As such, that document is currently in the Court's possession for review.

WHEREFORE, Appellee, Robert A. McDonald, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, responds to the Court's August 3, 2016, Order. Appellee submits this information for the Court's review.

Respectfully submitted,

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On the 3rd day of August, 2016, a copy of the Record of Proceedings was mailed, postage prepaid, to:

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I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

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